

# Outdoor Recreation Satellite Account (ORSA)

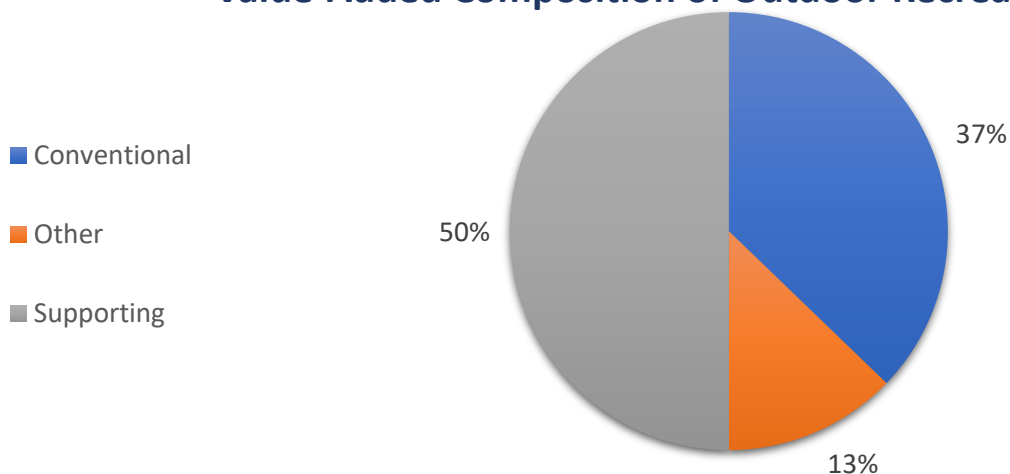


## 2021—North Dakota

Value added [gross domestic product]		Employment		Compensation	
ORSA total	Share of state	ORSA total	Share of state	ORSA total	Share of state
<b>\$1.4 billion</b>	<b>2.2%</b>	<b>14,214 jobs</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>\$0.6 billion</b>	<b>2.1%</b>

Value Added by Select ORSA Activity [Thousands of dollars]				
Activity	2019	2020	2021	State rank
RVing	80,117	88,337	109,873	41
Boating/Fishing	71,844	101,594	83,286	44
Equestrian	54,755	53,218	61,255	36
Hunting/Shooting/Trapping	22,151	25,067	27,380	45
Motorcycling/ATVing	20,615	23,133	26,930	44
Climbing/Hiking/Tent Camping	8,402	8,862	12,861	49
Snow Activities	7,217	5,989	6,767	46
Bicycling	3,250	4,060	4,587	49
Recreational Flying	3,602	2,875	3,570	44

### Value-Added Composition of Outdoor Recreation Activities



**Conventional ORSA** activities include traditional outdoor activities, such as camping, hiking, boating, and hunting.

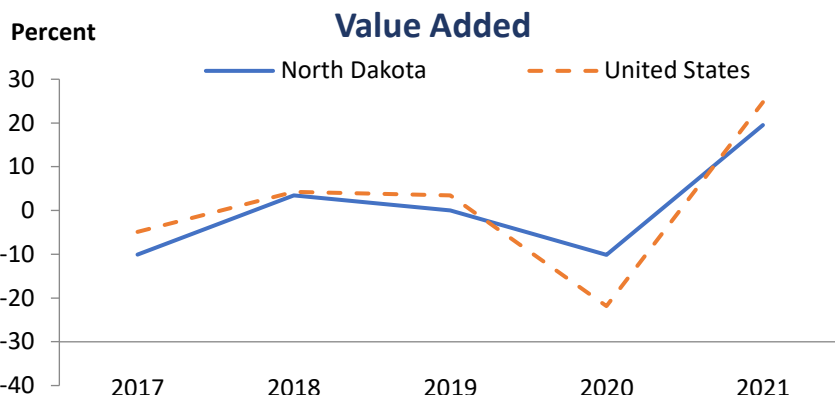
**Other ORSA** activities include those that take place outside, such as gardening and outdoor concerts.

**Supporting ORSA** activities are those that contribute to the core activities and include such things as construction, travel and tourism, local trips, and government expenditures.

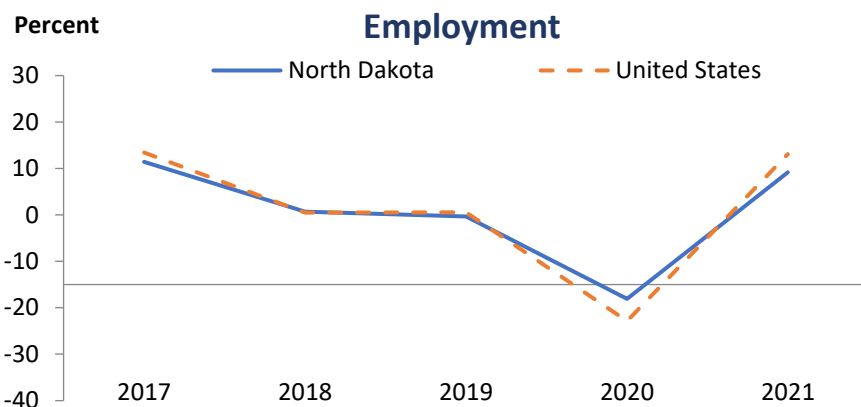
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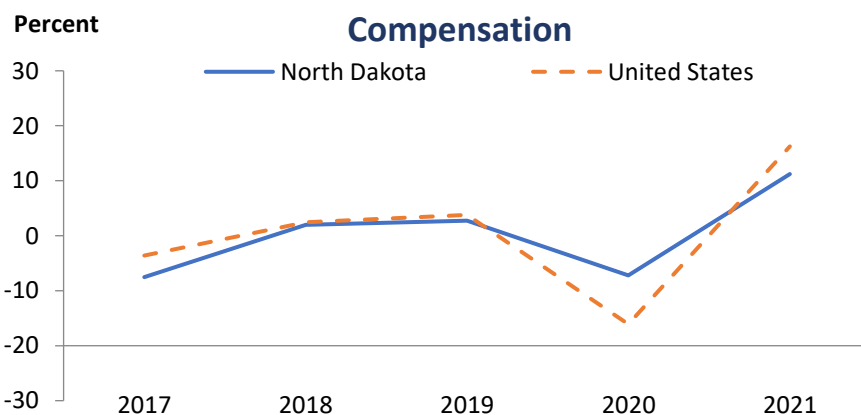
In 2021, North Dakota ranked 48th among all states in ORSA value added and 44th among all states in ORSA value-added growth. Since 2020, ORSA value added has grown 19.5 percent in North Dakota, compared with an increase of 24.7 percent for the United States.



In 2021, North Dakota ranked 50th among all states in ORSA employment and 48th among all states in ORSA employment growth. Since 2020, ORSA employment has grown 9.2 percent in North Dakota, compared with an increase of 13.1 percent for the United States.



In 2021, North Dakota ranked 49th among all states in ORSA compensation and 49th among all states in ORSA compensation growth. Since 2020, ORSA compensation has grown 11.2 percent in North Dakota, compared with an increase of 16.2 percent for the United States. Average compensation per wage-and-salary job in North Dakota ORSA industries was \$43,449 in 2021, compared with \$68,887 for all salaried jobs in the state.



**ORSA value added** consists of the gross output of an industry less its intermediate inputs; the contribution of an industry to gross domestic product.

**ORSA employment** consists of all wage-and-salary jobs in which workers are engaged in the production of ORSA goods and services.

**ORSA compensation** consists of the remuneration (including wages and salaries as well as benefits, such as employer contributions to pension and health funds) payable to employees in return for their ORSA work during a given year.